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In re Application of

Deak et al.

Serial No. 09/849,963

Confirmation No.: 9317

Filed: May 4, 2001

For: Process for Treating a Lipophilic Fluid

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Dear Sir:

[X] This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed May 7, 2001. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

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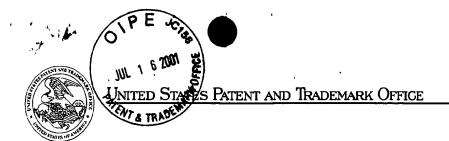
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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